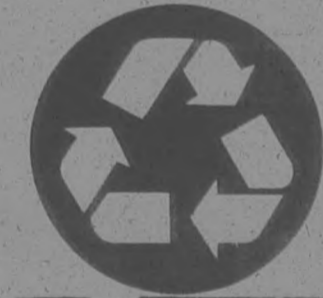


COMMUNITY NEWS



XTREME FITNESS CENTER 24-HOUR GYM AND TANNING celebrated its grand opening Saturday, July 3rd. The center is located on Alabama Highway 87 north of Elba. Among those present to assist the owners with the grand opening ceremonies were the Zion Chapel beauty queens. Those pictured above include: Junior Miss Zion Chapel Amber Grissett; Slade, Stephanie, Gage, Danny, Skyler and Kathy Nalley - owners; and Future Little Miss Zion Chapel Angel Flowers.



Kimberly Ward named to Dean's List at the University of Southern Mississippi

The University of Southern Mississippi Dean's List has been released for the 2004 spring semester.

Dean's List scholars are those with at least a 3.25 grade point average but less than a 4.0. A student recognized includes Kimberly Wynell Ward of Elba, Ala.

Former Elba resident publishes book

Mike Stanton-Rich, a 1978 Elba High School graduate, recently published a book entitled: *It's My Job* through Lulu Enterprises, Inc., of North Carolina (www.lulu.com). Copies are available from the publisher or your favorite online bookseller.

It's My Job is a collection of short stories covering the diverse work life of an adventurous individual. It is described as a book that is about "making a living, and ultimately a life." From his FFA projects to his work as a pastor, Stanton-Rich shows that his work history is not only humorous, but has some depth as well.

It's My Job has been used in elementary classrooms and in teaching English to Japanese college students. Persons of all

ages and cultures have discovered it as an entertaining read. This book has a way of asking some serious questions like: "Who are you? What is important in life? What do you want to do when you grow up?" But they are asked in a warm and witty way.

Stanton-Rich is currently the pastor of Kobe Union Church, an international and interdenominational church in Kobe, Japan. He is a United Methodist pastor who has served in Western North Carolina, Mississippi and Alabama. He is a graduate of Huntingdon College, Duke University and the University of Maryland. He is a self-described "tale-spinner" and uses story to preach, teach and inspire. He preaches nearly every Sunday to

a multilingual congregation in Japan, and regularly shares stories of growing up in the rural south with business people, student groups and through various publications.

More information on Mike Stanton-Rich and *It's My Job* are available online at: <http://www.lulu.com/seatomy-pants/>.

NOTICE

A TOWN HALL MEETING will be held Thursday, July 29, at 7 p.m., at the First Baptist Church Social Hall in Elba. Cheryl Morgan, an architect from Auburn University, will host the meeting concerning the revitalization of the city.



Coffee County Youth Leadership Class 2003 - 2004...(from left to right): Front Row: Kristine Campbell (Enterprise); Cameron Irwin (Elba); Rebecca English (Elba); Kristin Barnes (Elba); Lindsay Lawford (Elba); Genevieve Olinb (Enterprise); Brittney Holley (Kinston); Breann Hattaway (Kinston); Tiffany Wilson (Kinston); Middle Row: Taylor McGuire (Elba); Roy King (Zion Chapel); Drew Donaldson (New Brockton); Bradley Bane (Elba); Kaleb Dyess (Elba); Back Row: Kristi Spinks (Elba); Brittney Houston (Enterprise); Shana Grondin (New Brockton); Freda Kelley (New Brockton); Kathy Erker (Enterprise); Allison Jennings (Enterprise); Jessica Goetz (Enterprise); Tiffany McGrath (Enterprise); Jessica Lacey (Enterprise); Sonya Hornsby (New Brockton). Not pictured: Michael Sneed (Zion Chapel).

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Court declares Coffee County School System unitary

In a final judgment received Monday, July 12, the United States District Court for the Middle District of Alabama declared the Coffee County School System to be unitary and dismissed the Lee vs. Coffee County Board of Education litigation.

As noted in the court's order, the Lee litigation "began as part of a statewide class action filed in 1963 alleging that the State has (operated) a mandatory, segregated school system."

The Coffee County Schools were added to the suit in 1969.

In a previous order released as part of a consent decree in September 1998, the court

declared the Coffee County system unitary "in the areas of transportation and student assignment between schools."

The other areas that remained before the court were "facility assignment and hiring, student in-class assignment, including the awarding of diplomas; special education, including gifted and talented; discipline;

extracurricular activities; facilities and quality of education."

On July 31, 2003, Coffee County filed a motion with the court to be dismissed in full from the Lee vs. Coffee County Board of Education litigation.

That motion was the subject of a fairness hearing held at the Federal Courthouse in Dothan on Feb. 19, 2004.

Following that hearing and briefing by the parties, the court issued its current decision, holding that:

"On the basis of the record evidence, witness testimony, and averments of counsel, the court finds that notice of the fairness hearing was properly given, and that the school district defendants have met the standards entitling the district to a declaration of unitary status. The Board has fully and satisfactorily complied with the orders of this court. The vestiges of the prior de jure segregated school system have been eliminated to the extent practicable."

The court went on to declare that control over the system was "properly returned to the Coffee County Board of Education" and ended the court's supervision.

"On behalf of the Coffee County Board of Education, I want to emphasize that this decision does not by any means end the efforts of the System to

act in a nondiscriminatory manner with regard to all of its activities," said Dr. Linda Ingram, superintendent of the Coffee County School System. "The board has long had an official policy that it does not discriminate in any of its practices on the basis of race, color, disability, sex, religion, creed, national origin or age." Nothing about this decision will change

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Elba Municipal Election Qualifiers (As of Press Time, Tuesday, July 13)

Mayor
James E. Grimes (Incumbent)
Randy G. Bedsole

City Council, Dist. 1
L.M. Burch (Incumbent)
Tom G. Hooks

City Council, Dist. 2
David Bandstra (Incumbent)
Helen C. Farris

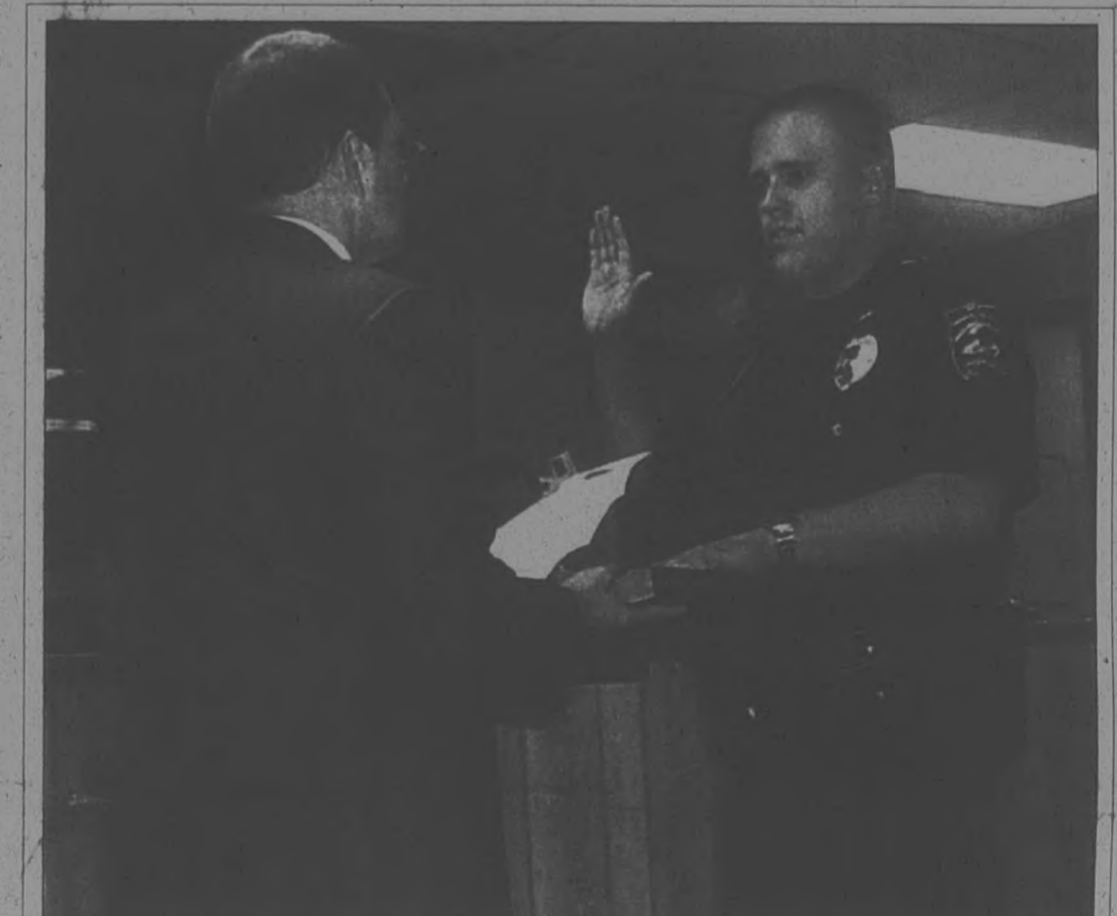
City Council, Dist. 3
H.H. Culver (Incumbent)

City Council, Dist. 4
Harold Spicer (Incumbent)

City Council, Dist. 5
None

Qualifying Ends:
Tuesday, July 20, 2004

Election Day:
Tuesday, August 24, 2004



TAKING AN OATH...Officer Scott Thompson officially became a member of the New Brockton Police Department Monday evening, July 12, as he took an oath to serve and protect the citizens of New Brockton during the monthly Town Council meeting. Officer Thompson recently completed training through the police academy. Before accepting the oath, New Brockton Mayor Charles Cole spoke of a recent incident where Thompson helped a motorist in need. Cole said the lady was extremely impressed with the officer's professionalism and commended him for the help he provided her in a time of need. Thompson accepted the oath from Circuit Judge Steve Blair (left).

During Elba City Council meeting Police chief updates council members on drug arrests

by **Ferrin Cox, Publisher**

Mayor pro-tem Ronnie Hammond presided at the regular meeting of the Elba City Council Monday evening. Mayor James Grimes and council member David Bandstra were out of town at a city related meeting. All others were present and voting.

Police Chief R. W. Whitworth reported the arrest of four juveniles in a rash of vandalism which has been occurring around Elba in recent weeks. He also updated council members on the status of several recent drug busts.

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County BOE approves several personnel changes

by **Linda Hodge, Editor**

By approving and signing a resolution, the Coffee County

Board of Education gave its full support of a new program Wednesday, June 30, during a special meeting of the board.

Superintendent Dr. Linda Ingram informed board members the school system was applying for a Fiscal Year 2005 21st Century Community Learning Centers subgrant, and upon approval of the grant, the system will establish a community learning center at Zion Chapel School.

If approved, Ingram said the grant will be a 3-year grant providing \$125,000 per year for the school system's new extended day program.

The board voted unanimously to offer full support to the establishment of the Zion Chapel Community Learning Center, and according to the resolution, the grant proposal indicates "a willingness to provide opportunities beyond the previously established school day for academic enrichment, to include tutorial services for students who are at risk of academic failure; enrichment activities that reinforce and complement the regular academic program; and literacy and other related opportunities for educational development and growth for families of students enrolled in the Zion Chapel School."

Ingram said the grant application has been submitted to the Alabama State Department of Education for consideration.

In regards to personnel matters, the board also unanimously approved several recommendations from Ingram including:

* Employ Shawn Castleberry as band director at New Brockton High School.

* Transfer David Speigner from his position as a community coop/carpentry teacher to a carpentry/technical teacher for grades 7-12.

* Employ Susan Taylor as a

Resolution further stated, "This Board is confident that such a center will positively impact upon the regular school day and our efforts to provide maximum opportunities for students' school success. This Board is also confident that such a center will increase the quality of life for the Zion Chapel community. Additionally, this Board fully supports the inclusion of are, music, recreation activities, and an extended use of the library and entire school plant as a place for our students and their families to grow stronger as individuals and as a family unit."

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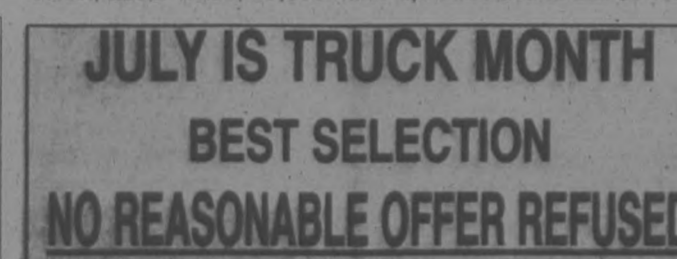
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BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

Senator Richard Shelby was an early critic of the CIA, even before 9-11. Now everyone can see what he was talking about. Apparently there were problems a long time ago . . . long enough that more than an Alabama senator serving on the intelligence committee should have known about it. Yet maybe he was the only one brave enough (or clean enough) to be the lone voice bringing it all into the open. Americans should all regret that it took 9-11 to get others to join Alabama's senior senator in being openly critical of the CIA's "failed intelligence" effort. Now we can only hope the issues don't get swept under the rug and officially forgotten.

A couple of times recently we have written here about all the limbs needing picked up in our yard. This has sparked a variety of comments . . . and wisecracks. Probably the comment that cut to heart the most was from a younger (only by two years) sister. She latched on to the comparison between the endless job of picking up sticks and cotton pickin'. She reminded us of those hated coffee weeds we children grew to hate during those farm days before weed poisons. The terrible hurt that caused is that we had come to honestly believe - and say - that the main reason we left the farm for city life was the lack of money to afford to stay there. Now those @#%\$* weeds are back in the picture and we remember the painful truth . . . we were really trying to get away from those @#%\$* coffee weeds!

The weather has been awful hot in recent weeks, or so it seems to those of us who work in air conditioned buildings. In fact that "bear" almost got us Saturday morning. There was some clean up work due in the back yard and before you could say "jack rabbit" it was hot, hot, hot. We decided it would be best to go inside and cool off a bit before we got too hot and had a heart attack or something. However when we leaned over and untied our shoes and raised back up, the old head started spinning. It was also spinning a bit if we suddenly looked left or right. Immediately we began consuming volumes of liquids and thankfully the old body began to cool down. However we were zapped out, with little or no energy, for the rest of the day. Ya'll all had better be careful out there now . . . you hear. You might not be as lucky as we were Saturday morning.

City politics are underway in all Coffee County cities but activity is not the same all around. Both Elba and Enterprise already have competition in some races while at the other extreme, New Brockton didn't have a single candidate . . . period - not one . . . in any of their slots, that is as of Monday night. In neighboring Dale County, the City of Ozark already has five or six in their mayor's race and are expecting a pretty big number in their council races. It will be an interesting time, between now and election day.

A newspaper publisher in Jasper, AL died last week. Doug Pearson was a good man. In fact any profession that could be staffed completely with folks like him would immediately be loved and supported by everyone . . . young and old. Over the years we have served on a number of boards and committees with Doug and not once . . . not once, did we see or hear him do or say anything he would have been ashamed for his sainted mother to know about. He left some big shoes to be filled!

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EDITORIAL

9-1-1: Can we find you now?

Emergency 9-1-1 service has been around so many years that most people take it for granted. Many feel secure in the fact that help is just a telephone call away should they find themselves in an emergency situation.

The fact is, 9-1-1 officials face many obstacles to providing this vastly important service including ever changing technological advances such as wireless telephones, Internet communications and on-board automobile notification services. Despite all the technology, one of the major obstacles remains the people being served.

With enhanced 9-1-1 having been in place for many years, some citizens still fail to properly display their address, and in a life threatening situation such as a heart attack or stroke, the extra time it takes to locate the victim may well be the deciding factor of his/her survival. Enhanced 9-1-1 (E9-1-1) was initiated for residents of Elba and rural Coffee County in October 1999 with the opening of the E9-1-1 dispatch center located in the Elba Police Department.

The City of Enterprise, within its city limits, initiated E9-1-1 service in the early 90s with the dispatch center being located in the Enterprise Police Department.

Yet another roadblock to citizen safety is the lack of information available when someone dials 9-1-1 on a cellular

telephone. The FCC, 9-1-1 officials and the wireless industry have been attempting to bring the 9-1-1 service for cellular telephones up to par with the service provided for landline wired (home and business) phones.

Once again, citizen awareness and cooperation will play an important role in the success of this venture. Citizens are



A Consumer Report survey conducted last year revealed that only 18 percent of the nation's Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) reported having the most up-to-date wireless 9-1-1 systems capable of locating wireless callers. A similar survey by NENA (National Emergency Number Association) shows that 93 percent of the nation's PSAPs (both Elba and Enterprise PSAPs are in this group) have enhanced 9-1-1 for wired callers, but the figures for wireless 9-1-1 shows only 65 percent per Phase I (tower location and call back number) and 18 percent per Phase II (location of caller). All of Coffee County is currently working toward implementing Phase I for wireless users located throughout the county, and Phase II capability (location technology) is expected to be in place and operating by the end

of this year - 2004. Citizens should do their part ahead of time, before an emergency arises. They should post their address prominently on their home and/or business.

Local volunteer fire departments located in the county are presently offering reflective addressing signs at a nominal cost to area residents. These signs are particularly effective in the rural areas outside the cities and towns. One can obtain information concerning these signs by calling a member of the volunteer fire department located in their area of the county or by calling the county 9-1-1 administrative offices at 894-5242 or 894-1305.

Citizens also should make sure their wireless phones are capable of sending location information such as GPS (Global Positioning System) data, and they should be aware of their surroundings, especially when traveling in unfamiliar territory. Good information for cellular phone users to have available while traveling includes mile markers, landmarks, cross streets or any information which might help a 9-1-1 dispatcher locate you in case of an emergency.

The 9-1-1 boards in Enterprise and Coffee County are working to ensure that our citizens are served by the latest technology. Our service for regular wired telephones is working great - and we will not be one of those areas which have to wait years for location technology.

Car tag connects Elba with central Florida resident

by Linda Hodge, Editor

It's no secret that I enjoy spending time at the beach during the summer months, but this year, we have been visiting the Panama City area in a different manner, we've become campers.

While it has been an interesting

experience learning the ins and outs of camping (we haven't made a trip yet without discovering something new we need or a better way to do this year, we have been visiting the Panama City area in a different manner, we've become campers.

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Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, beginning Monday, July 5, 2004, investigated the following incidents: two for theft of property, one assault, one menacing, two for criminal mischief, one child abuse, one harassment, one private property accident, one accidental shooting, one driving under the influence, two for burglary.

The following arrests were made: one for assault and one for driving under the influence.

Traffic citations issued during the week were as follows: three for a suspended driver's license, nine for speeding, three for no

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• ROTARY CLUB Tuesday at Noon-First First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

• ELBA CITY COUNCIL 2nd & 4th Monday 6 p.m. City Hall.

• WATER & ELECTRIC Tuesday following 2nd Monday 6 p.m. City Hall.

• ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. Tues. 8 a.m. Elba United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

• GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP Every Monday 6:30 p.m. Elba United Methodist Church-enter on side on W. Davis St. Maggie Garrett Classroom.

• COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION 2nd & 4th Monday Community Room in Farm Center Complex at New Brockton.

• LIONS CLUB 2nd & 4th Tues. 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center.

• ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD 1st Thur. 5:30 p.m. Supp. Office.

• AMERICAN LEGION 1st Tuesday of every month 7:00 p.m. Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.

• MASONIC LODGE 70 1st & 3rd Monday of each month 7 p.m.

• BAND BOOSTERS 1st Monday p.m. Band Room @ Elba High School.

• VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER - Mon-Fri 8-12 noon, Tuesday 12:30 - 4:30 New Brockton @ Farm Center Complex 894-3858.

• COFFEE COUNTY COON HUNTERS ASSN. 3rd Sat. 3 p.m. - 5 p.m. Clubhouse.

• COFFEE REPUBLICAN WOMEN 3rd Wed. Noon. Colony Inn, Enterprise.

• ELBA AIRPORT AUTHORITY 2nd Thursday at noon, Driscoll Hanger at the Airport.

• AARP meets every 3rd Tuesday afternoon at the month.

• ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB 1st & 3rd Monday 7 p.m. - Elba High boys locker room.

• NEW SEASONS STUDY CLUB Every 3rd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

One space, much possible for additional activities. Please call 417

can tell she misses the hotels. Maybe once we get "good" at being campers, she'll enjoy it more.

Regardless, our trip last weekend proved very interesting and the conversation also revealed my dad and his new found friend were in Vietnam around the same time during the Vietnam War at basically the same area of the country.

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LIFESTYLES & COMMUNITY



THE 2004 MISS NPF CONTESTANTS met recently at the new Science Building at Wallace College for Orientation for this year's Miss National Peanut Festival Pageant. Preliminaries for this year's pageant will be held at the Dothan Civic Center, Friday October 22. Verbal Communications Preliminary will be at 2 p.m. and Evening Gown Preliminary will be at 7 p.m. Pageant Finals will be held at the Dothan Civic Center, Saturday October 23 at 7 p.m. Pictured from left to right - front row: Miss Enterprise - Laura Henderson, Miss National Peanut Festival - Mindy Brannon, Miss New Brockton - Sonya Hornsby and Miss Kingston - Brittany Holley. Back row: Miss Zion Chapel - Shae Flowers, Miss Elba - Lyndsay Lawford and Miss Coffee County - Kerri Tindell.



LYDSAY SMITH daughter of Dennis and Nancy Smith of Elba, recently donated 14 inches of her hair to Locks of Love. Lyndsay grew out her hair for more than a year to give to this charitable organization. Locks of Love is a charity that provides hairpieces to children under the age of 18 with medical hair loss.

Kelcey Nicole Sanders celebrates 2nd birthday

On June 7, 2004 Kelcey Nicole Sanders celebrated her second birthday. Her party consisted of her family. They celebrated this occasion with a pool party. Kelcey received gifts and had fun playing in her pool. Her parents are Melissa Sanders and Lowayne Parks. Her grandparents are Mike and Julia Sanders and James and Lynn Parks of Elba. Her grandparents are Betty Sanders of Elba, Wayne and DeMone Grant of Elba, and Clara and Russell Rodgers of New Brockton.



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Miss Burdick & Mr. Harrison to be united in marriage on September 4

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Burdick of Wetumpka, Ala. announce the engagement of their daughter, Stephanie Leigh Burdick, of Wetumpka, to Charles Gary Harrison Jr. of Montgomery, Ala., son of Pamela Kervin of Millbrook, Ala. and Charles G. Harrison Sr. of Panama City, Fla.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Burdick of Bridgeport, Texas and the late Mr. and Mrs. Earl Logan of Elmore, Ala. The bridegroom-to-be is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Harrison of Elba, Ala. and Mrs. Annette Scarbrough and the late Mr. John T. Scarbrough of Troy, Ala.

Miss Burdick is a graduate from Troy State University with a degree in Natural Science and is currently employed with a pharmacy. She is also employed as Art Teacher.

Mr. Harrison graduated in 1999 from Hampden-Sydney College in Virginia and was enlisted in the Army as an Army Ranger for four years. He is currently employed as a Special Agent.

The wedding will take place on Saturday, September 4, 2004 at Elmore United Methodist Church, Elmore, Ala. at 5 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

After a honeymoon trip to Jamaica, the couple will reside in Wetumpka.

Class of 1974 to celebrate 30th year reunion

The Elba High School Class of 1974 will celebrate its 30th year reunion during Homecoming 2004. Members of this class currently are searching for their fellow classmates. Anyone with helpful information is asked to contact Vanessa Newman Davis at (334) 897-8923 or email mdavis304@charter.net

Area students named to Dean's List & Presidents list at UA

A total of 3,369 students enrolled during the spring 2004 term at The University of Alabama made the Dean's List with academic records of 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) or above, or the President's List with academic records of 4.0, announced Dr. Judy Bonner, UA provost and vice president for academic affairs.

The spring 2004 lists included the following local students: Stephanie Christina Sasser of Elba and Lauren Rachel Allums of New Brockton.

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CRAYOLA Crayons - 8 count (NO other brand)
Pencils (Jumbo or Regular)
Scissors (FISKAR Brand Only)
KINDER MAT (Red/blue tri-fold)
1/2 inch 3 ring notebook
100 Sheet Spiral Notebook
3 Rolls of Paper Towels each Nine Weeks
\$10 for a Kindergarten T-shirt
\$1.25 Plastic Folder (sold in the office)
Nylon Pouch - for crayons (no supply box)
Boys:
Ziplock Snack Size Bags
Construction Paper
Girls:
Ziplock Gallon Size Bags
Kleenex
Please send one complete change of clothes (shirt, pants, and underwear) in a gallon size bag in case your child has an accident.
These clothes will stay in your child's book bag in case they are needed. Please put your child's name on both sides, top and bottom of their mats. Also put their names on all of their supplies: glue, scissors, pencils, jackets, and on each separate crayon.

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\$1.25 Weekly Folder
ELMER'S glue (1)
Clear Zipper supply pouch (NO supply boxes)
FISKAR Scissors (BLUNT)
Back Pack (NO Rolling Back Packs)
2 Packs of Number 2 Pencils ONLY (NO Mechanical Pencils)
1 Box of Facial Tissue
2 Boxes of Crayons - 12 or 16 Count
1 Multi Count Pack Erasers
3 Rolls of Paper Towels (Per Semester)
Gallon Ziplock Bags (BOYS)
Quart Ziplock Bags (GIRLS)

FOURTH GRADE

\$5.00 for Accelerated Math Paper
\$5.00 for Scholastic News Magazine
\$1.25 or Plastic Folder
(2) Loose-Leaf Notebook Paper
Crayons
Colored Pencils
Ruler (INCH-CENTIMETER)
Pencils (2) NO Lead Pencils
Paper Towels (4)

SECOND GRADE

CRAYOLA Crayons - 24 Count
FISKAR'S Scissors
Pencils - 10 count (4)
LARGE Glue Stick (2)
LARGE Bottle ELMER'S School Glue
Wide-Ruled Notebook Paper (3)
1 Subject Composition Books (wire bound) (3)
3-Prong Folders (6)
Zippered Pencil Pouch (1)
Cap Erasers (1 Pack)
Paper Towels (4)
Kleenex (1)
Gallon Size Ziplock Freezer Bags (1)
\$1.25 Plastic Folder
NO MARKERS, TRAPPER KEEPERS, CRAYON BOXES, OR ROLLING BOOK BAGS!!!
THIRD GRADE
Three Ring Binder
Wide-ruled Notebook Paper
Pencils
2 Spiral Composition Notebooks
FISKAR'S Scissors
3 Pocket Folders
Construction Paper
Glue
Steno Pad
Band-Aids
Liquid Soap
Kleenex (2)
Paper Towels (4)
GERM-X Hand Sanitizer
Gallon Size Ziplock Bags (BOYS)
Quart Size Ziplock Bags (GIRLS)
\$5.00 for Accelerated Math Paper
\$1.25 for Weekly Folders
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(2) Loose-Leaf Notebook Paper
Crayons
Colored Pencils
Ruler (INCH-CENTIMETER)
Pencils (2) NO Lead Pencils
Paper Towels (4)

THIRD GRADE

2 Composition Notebooks (3 subjects)
Notebook Paper
Divider Sheets with Tabs (10 Sheets NEEDED)
3 Folders with Pockets and Metal Tabs
Supply Pouch
Pencils
Pencil Sharpener with Lid
Scissors
Colored Pencils
Quart Ziplock Bags
Paper Towels (3)
Garbage Bags - Tall Trash Bags
Antibacterial Pump Soap (BOYS)
Hand Sanitizer
Kleenex (2)
Glue (GIRLS)
\$1.25 Plastic Folder
Graph Paper
MRS. PARMER
Crayons
Scissors
Glue
Wide-Ruled Notebook Paper
Pencils
1 Inch Binder (2)
Paper Towels (3)
Dial Pump Antibacterial Soap (2)
Kleenex (2)

Rebecca Michelle Kidd receives degree from Judson College

Judson College held its 2004 commencement on June 26. Area students awarded degrees included Rebecca Michelle Kidd of Jack.

NEW ARRIVAL

PATRICK WHITWORTH SHEHEE



Patrick Whitworth Shehee

Jaileigh Nicole Burch is four years old

Jaileigh Nicole Burch celebrated her fourth birthday Tuesday, May 18. Jaileigh is the daughter of Jason and Kathy Burch of Millbrook, Ala. Her grandparents are L.M. and Mavis Burch of Elba, James Whittington of Georgiana and Billie Brooks of Millbrook.

Kelly and Kayron Shehee announce the birth of their son, Patrick Whitworth Shehee on May 12, 2004 at Baptist Medical Center South in Montgomery, Ala. Whit weighed 6 pounds 1 ounce and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Ronnie and Kaye Whitworth of Elba, Ala. and Freddy and Tena Shehee of Bellwood, Ala. Great-grandparents are Ruth Mack of Elba, Ala., Emma Jean Whitworth, Jasper, Ala., H.A. and Gladys Shehee, and Henry and Eleanor Stewart all of Bellwood.

LIFESTYLES

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelley honored with 50th wedding anniversary reception



Mr. & Mrs. Harold Kelley

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Melissa and Jon

On Sunday, June 20th Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelley celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception at Dale Moseley's. Their anniversary was actually June 19th.

As the guests entered, they signed the registry book which was atop an antique table draped with a burlap cloth which belongs to one of Mrs. Kelley's sisters. The table was also adorned with a beautiful brass and swarovski crystal candle holder (which belongs to another sister of Mrs. Kelley's) which made a stunning registry area. Miss Fallon Hall, niece of the couple, helped with the registry.

Adjacent to the registry was Mr. and Mrs. Kelley and their son Mark. They were greeting their guests and directing them to help themselves at the gorgeous table of delicious appetizers. The enormous footed arrangement of callalies, roses and assortment of other cream and white flowers centered the table. All of the dainty delicacies were served from crystal and gold appointments and also held the caterer's signature fresh pineapple arrangement.

The exquisite anniversary cake was decorated with edible callalies and was atop a round table adorned with a brass and crystal candelabra. Mrs. Beverly McDaniel, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley, served the cake to the guests.

The beverage table held a beautiful crystal punch bowl flanked with frosted golden berries and filled with a delicious golden fruit punch. A white pitcher with gold accents held iced water and coffee was also available. Mrs. Kelley Bryan, niece of the couple, served guests the punch.

All of the tables were draped in white and eucalyptus. The guest tables were adorned with large crystal hurricane lamps surrounded by glowing gold tulle and white pearls. Uptown David Goodson of Atlanta, Ga., nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley, played an assortment of classical and jazz numbers on his guitar for the occasion. This was a special surprise for the couple.

A collage of pictures and other memorabilia were spread atop a beautiful carved antique oak bar in the reception area for the guests to reminisce with the Kelley's.

Moments for the occasion were provided by Mr. Kelley's sister who was able to reproduce an old photograph of hers of the couple in their younger years. She inserted the picture and printed a song written by Harold for Myra on parchment paper, rolled and tied with gold ribbon. They were perfect remembrance for the guests.

NEW ARRIVAL

LOUGENER BLAIR WYROSICK



Lougener Blair Wyrosick, daughter of Troy and Jamie Wyrosick of Troy, announced the birth of their daughter, Lougener Blair Wyrosick. She was born June 7, 2004, at Baptist Medical Center East in Montgomery, Ala. She weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces and was 21 3/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Cecil and Brunetta Patterson of Kinross. Maternal great grandmother is Willie Pearl Patterson of Kinross. Paternal grandparents are Annie Pearl Wyrosick of the Basin Community.



Mrs. Edward Bradshaw Nevin

Nevin-Owens wedding held on May 7th

Lisa Allison Owens and Edward Bradshaw Nevin were married May 7 in an evening double ring ceremony on the beach in Santa Rosa Beach, Florida. Lisa's uncle, retired naval chaplain Paul Jay Everts, officiated at the ceremony. Music was provided by the Larry Tyson Trio. A reception followed at the Santa Rosa Beach Club.

The bride, a native of Dunwoody, Georgia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Robert Owens, Jr. of Dawsonville, formerly of Dunwoody. She is also the granddaughter of Mrs. David Russell Porter of North Hill, formerly of Wellesley, and Falmouth Massachusetts and of the late David Russell Porter and the late Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Robert Owens of Erieville, New York. The bride is a graduate of Dunwoody High School and the University of Alabama and is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haskell Nevin of Tuscaloosa, Alabama and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Claude Nevin of the late Moore Woodfin and the late Mottie Sprout Woodfin of Sprott, Alabama. He is a graduate of Tuscaloosa Academy and the University of Alabama and is a member of Sigma Nu. The groom is employed as an agent for Southeastern Attractions.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a Vera Wang beaded ivory gown of silk organza with tulle overlay. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and peonies. The bridesmaids wore Vera Wang gowns in sand dune and carried matching bouquets.

Jennifer Ashly Boaz and Angela Jean Cato of Atlanta were maids of honor. Wedding attendants to the bride were Melissa Ann Culbreth of Nashville, Kansas Kay Kindy of New York City, Kristen Lynn Walters of Atlanta, Merri Kris Cottrell, Wayne of Flowering Branch, Haley Camille Lewis of Montgomery, and Mary Gross, Evans and Leila Child Mountain of Birmingham. Anna Elizabeth Shelby of Tuscaloosa was the flower girl.

Edward Haskell Nevin served as his son's best man. Groomsmen were Brian Elliott Owens of Atlanta, brother of the bride, Shawn Chadwick Parsons of New York City, Michael Dennis Shanahan of San Diego, Wesley Brent Thomas and James Wallace Eddings III of Nashville, Timothy Collins Monroe of Gallion, and Keith Pennington Brown, James Lockard Chaney III, Christopher Aidan Marks, George Levings Shaw and William Welborn Shaw of Birmingham.

After a honeymoon trip to Anguilla, the couple will reside in Atlanta.

Jenkins Family reunion planned for Saturday, July 17

The Jenkins family will be holding a family reunion July 17, 2004 at the PZK Hall located in the PZK Civic Park at 17933 HWY 104 in Robertsdale, Alabama. The reunion will start at 9:00 am and lasting until midnight if necessary. Everyone is asked to bring covered dishes of food and non-alcoholic beverages. Paper products will be furnished.

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Elba, Alabama

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Alabama family to celebrate 101st Horn reunion July 18

Outdoor fun, old-fashioned recipes and other southern family traditions will headline the agenda Sunday, July 18th as the 101st Annual Horn Reunion gets underway at the historic Horn Shelter, located in Glenwood, just seven miles Southeast of Luverne in Crenshaw County.

The Horn Family Reunion, held traditionally each third Sunday in July, is one of the oldest consecutive family gatherings held in the state of Alabama. The historic Horn Shelter, located in Crenshaw County, approximately 50 miles South of Montgomery off U.S. Highway 331 near Luverne, has served as the landmark site for this family reunion since 1903. Relatives and descendants of Richard Whitehead Horn and Rebecca Cox Horn are encouraged to attend this special 101st anniversary summer celebration. Richard Whitehead Horn and Rebecca Cox Horn settled in what was then known as Pike County in 1826, and later became known as Crenshaw County in 1867.

With this family event scheduled each summer as a special historic gathering, more than 100 relatives travel from throughout Alabama, the Southeast, and other nearby regions of the country. This year's 101st Horn Family Reunion is scheduled to begin at approximately 11am and conclude around 2pm at the Horn Shelter near Glenwood. Lunch will be served at 12:00 noon, with a short business meeting to follow the outdoor picnic.

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VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF PRINCE WILLIAM

BARRY ANTHONY JONES Complainant/Plaintiff
BEATRICE JUANITA JONES Defendant
CHANCERY NO. 55343

required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred. Witness my hand this 1st day of July 2004.
/s/ Christa Nicole Rogers Davis
Personal Representative
7/8, 15, & 22 pd

ORDER OF PUBLICATION The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the Defendant on the grounds of living separate and apart continuously for a period in excess of one year; IT APPEARING, from an Affidavit, that the Defendant, **BEATRICE JUANITA JONES**, a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and her last known address is as follows, TO-WIT: 200 W. ADAMS STREET, #5, ENTERPRISE, AL 36330; and That diligence has been used by the Plaintiff to determine in what city or county the Defendant is located without success. UPON CONSIDERATION WHEREOF, this Order of Publication is granted and it is ordered that the above named Defendant appear on or before the 6th day of August, 2004, before this court after due publication of this Order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this cause. And it is further ORDERED that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Elba Clipper, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Coffee, that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the courthouse wherein this court is held; and that a copy of this order be mailed to the Defendant at the address shown by the aforesaid affidavit. Entered this 17th day of June, 2004.
Angela L. Tant, Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court of Prince William County
6-24, 7-1, 8, & 15 cc

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Glenn E. Owens and wife, Tammy Owens in favor of Bank of America, FSB, dated June 30, 1998, and recorded July 7, 1998, Book 88, Page 374 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, Said default continuing, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, GreenPoint Credit Corporation, as Assignee of Bank of America, FSB under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the main entrance to the County Courthouse, Enterprise Division, Coffee County, Alabama on August 12, 2004, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot 13 of Kidron Valley Estates, Phase I, an addition to Coffee County, Alabama, as shown on plat of same as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 217, in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, including the following Manufactured Home: GENERAL MANUFAC (make): COUGAR (model): 24x44 (size): 1998 GHHGA42198199878 A GHHGA42198199878 A

This property will be sold subject to the easements, encumbrances or other matters of record which take priority over the mortgage and are not disposed of at or prior to foreclosure.

This notice is also being sent to the following party who may have an interest in said property in order that they might avail themselves of the opportunity to bid on same: Household Finance Corporation. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage as well as the expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee and other purposes set out in said mortgage.

Key events in the history of Fort Rucker and Army Aviation include—23 July 1954 the Department of the Army (DA) announced transfer of the US Army Aviation School (USAAVNS) from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, to Camp Rucker, Oklahoma, to Camp Rucker, in August 1954 the advanced party from the Army Aviation School at Fort Sill arrived at Camp Rucker and began transition work. —1 September 1954—Brig. Gen. Carl I. Huta assumed command of Camp Rucker as commander of the U.S

SPORTS

Views from... The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

We took Melanie shopping over the weekend to get her a few clothes to help her make it through the summer, and while she did find some bargains and really didn't ask for all that much, I still can't believe that I actually buy my baby girl tank tops and shorts that help show off more than they cover. I know Melanie is fifteen and dresses like all the other girls her age, but she is still my youngest daughter and I don't think I will ever get used to having guys take a second look at her when we walk by. I'll be glad when school gets back in session and she pulls back out the blue jeans and puts the shorts back in the drawer.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH...

*** The Elba All-Star teams have now completed their post-season play and while none of the teams made it to state, I think it was a very good summer for all our teams. The Dixie Minor All-Stars managed to claim one win in between losses to Troy and Enterprise, while the Dixie Youth All-Stars won two games and lost twice to Enterprise and the Dixie Junior Boys claimed four wins, including a win over Dothan, before being eliminated after losses to Enterprise and Eufula. The Dixie Boys All-Stars placed second at sub-district to advance to the next level of play and along the way won three games, while losing twice to Troy and twice to Enterprise. Over in softball the Dixie Angels won the sub-district tournament and advanced to district, but then were eliminated by Dothan, while the Dixie Pontyals lost to Troy and the Dixie Belles placed second at sub-district, losing only to Troy twice. I know the teams always play to win and I never make excuses, but in baseball the Elba All-Star teams losses were to Enterprise, Troy and Eufula, and in softball the All-Stars lost to Geneva, Dothan and Troy. All of the losses were to teams from much larger towns, and while the teams were all disappointed when they lost, they represented Elba well and did bring home some hardware. Great job!

*** Elba Tiger head football coach Scott Riels missed a few days of workouts last week to attend the "Manning Passing Camp" in Louisiana, and from what I have heard from the players and fans the Tigers are hard at work four days a week lifting weights, running and learning the ins and outs of the new spread offensive attack. I have seen several teams that run the spread attack over the years and while they will not run the ball in the air, most of the teams still run the football at least half the time and use the spread formation to spread out the defense. With the preseason game less than six weeks away, even I am starting to get a little excited about the '04 season and have high hopes that this will be the year the Tigers grow some teeth and take a bite out of their opponents.

*** Word is that long time Kinston Bulldog coach Gary Glass has decided to hang up his whistle and that the Bulldogs will have a new coach in both football and basketball when the new school year swings into session. Coach Glass has been very successful in basketball for many years and recently added the head football job to his schedule and in a few short years turned the Bulldogs into winners on the gridiron. I guess Coach Glass felt like both programs had moved forward and that it was time for him to sit back and pursue other options in the field of education. Coach Glass gave his best to make the overall athletic program at Kinston High School the best it could be, and even though he will still be at the school, he will be missed on the field of athletics.

*** I continue to be amazed at how some of the sports writers in the area never miss a chance to brag about how great the athletic program at Troy University has been since its move to Division I. I will agree that the Trojans have gained nationwide attention by competing against some top notch programs in football, but I cannot see where a win over Marshall was enough to tear down the goal posts and put the Trojans near the top of the college football world, or where a trip to the NCAA basketball tournament necessarily makes Troy a house hold name. Hey, Troy has made major moves in recent years and has a great football stadium, but the Trojans are still years away from being a major college power in any sport, at best.

*** In closing... Steve Buterworth announced last week that he was stepping down as the Sports Editor of The Enterprise Ledger after a dozen years at the post, and as a friend and colleague I will miss seeing him at sporting events and talking with him on the phone. Steve was handicapped by the fact that he could only report sports four days a week, but he never backed down from the challenge and logged many miles trying his best to give the area teams the coverage they deserved at all levels of play. He was a workaholic that tried to always be there for the kids, and in my opinion will be hard to replace. Best wishes in the future and thanks for the years of service to Coffee County and your many readers!

Lose twice to Enterprise

Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars finish third

The Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars posted two wins and two losses last week to place third in the Dixie Youth District 9, Sub-District 1 Baseball Tournament, held at Legion Field in Elba.

The Enterprise American All-Stars won the five-team event and joined second place Troy National in advancing to the District Tournament, followed in order by Elba, Zion Chapel and Brundidge.

Elba dropped a 12-2 decision to Enterprise in the opening round, but bounced back to eliminate Brundidge 9-8 and Zion Chapel 10-1, before being ousted by Enterprise 12-1.

Following are highlights of the All-Stars final two games:

ELBA 10

Z.C. 1

The Elba All-Stars pulled ahead early and never looked back to eliminate Zion Chapel 10-1, in losers bracket action. One-out singles by Justin Mallory and Devin Jackson sparked a first inning outburst by Elba, while Colton Vaughan delivered a key two-out single as the All-Stars jumped out to an early 2-0 advantage. Zion Chapel cut the lead to 2-1 in the bottom of the second on an rbi single by Taylor Stevens, but Elba bounced right back in its half of the third and plated three runs to extend its lead to 5-1.

With the big bases being a three-run homer by Michael Spurlin. The Elba All-Stars failed to score in the fourth, but played long ball in the fifth as D.J. McKee blasted a two-run homer and Kyle Pope ripped a three-run homer as Elba took command and opened up a 10-1 advantage.

Zion Chapel threatened in its final two at-bats, but stranded three base runners and watched as Elba posted the 10-1 win. Kyle Pope had 2 hits, scored 2 runs and knocked in 3 runs with a three-run homer to lead Elba at the plate, while Devin Jackson added 2 hits and scored 2 runs and D.J. McKee added 2 hits, scored 1 run and knocked in two runs with a two-run homer. Michael Spurlin had 1 hit, scored 1 run and knocked in 3 runs with a three-run homer, while Justin Mallory added 1 hit and scored 3 runs. Jessie Dodd added 1 hit and scored 1 run and Colton Vaughan, Kevin Allen, Jonathan Farmer and Kit

Troy to host all-star prep game

A new site for the all-star football game is the major change in the eighth annual Alabama All-Star Sports Week beginning its six-day run here Monday (July 12), according to the Alabama High School



Elba All-Star short-stop Kyle Pope moves under a pop-up as third baseman Colton Vaughan closes in. The All-Stars posted a 2-2 record last week to place third in the Dixie Youth Sub-District Baseball Tournament.



Elba All-Star pitcher Kevin Allen prepares to let one go in action last week at the Dixie Youth Sub-District Baseball Tournament.

Youth cheerleader registration underway for girls ages 6-12

Any girls ages 6-12 that are interested in cheering for the midjet, termite or pee wee football teams this fall in Elba should call Christie Williams at 897-6022, after 4:00 P.M. Registration is now underway in all age divisions and will end on August 6, with two exceptions. A free cheerleader camp will be held on July 26-27/29 from 6:00 until 8:30 P.M. at the Elba Recreation Center. Registration forms are available at the Elba Recreation Center, at the Elba City Pool and from Coach Williams.

AWF state wild game cook off set for Saturday, July 31

Come sample some of the State's best wild game dishes at the Alabama Wildlife Federation's (AWF) State Wild Game Cook-Off Competition on Saturday, July 31st. Ample servings of superb game dishes will be on hand such as venison, duck, dove, pheasant and much, much more! Some of last year's winning dishes included Grilled Yellow Fin Tuna and Deer Tenderloin Stuffed with Crab Meat. Come join the fun as Alabama's top wild game chefs travel to Millbrook for a chance to be named the 2004 Wild Game Cook-Off Champion. Each chef will be preparing their mouthwatering specialty of wild game, fish or fowl for the judges and those lucky individuals in attendance. Competition will be steep as each of the participants won their regional Wild Game Cook-Off in order to secure a spot in this event.

The festivities kick off at 6:00 p.m. at AWF's headquarters at Lanark in Millbrook. In addition to the outstanding cuisine there will be musical entertainment and a silent auction. Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams as well as to the team with the best looking display.

A limited number of tickets are available for \$25 per person and proceeds will benefit AWF's programs and projects. For ticket information call the AWF headquarters at 334/285-4550. The Alabama Wildlife Federation, established by sportsmen in 1935, is the state's oldest and largest citizens' conservation organization. To learn more about the AWF, including membership details, programs and projects, contact the AWF at 1-800-822-WILD or stop by online at www.alabamawildlife.org.

Each year at South Alabama Speedway, certain drivers establish themselves as the driver to beat. This season in the Super Stock class, that driver is Scotty Anderson. Saturday night, Anderson scored his sixth win in a row and his ninth win of 2004.

2003 Super Stock Champion David Ashley took the early lead from the pole. Anderson, starting eighth, moved through the pack quickly, taking third spot on lap four. Anderson didn't waste any time finishing his charge. He moved past Heath Mills for second on lap six, and one lap later, got inside of Ashley for the lead. With the race going green for the remaining laps, all Anderson had to do was keep his Monte Carlo headed in the right direction. Anderson beat Ashley to the line by five car lengths. Mills followed in third. Todd Blackburn was fourth with Jamie Ater fifth.

Teddy Sasser led flag to flag to win the Vintage Feature. Sasser started from the pole and grabbed the early lead over outside pole sitter Jason Windham.

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SPORTS

Place third in tournament

Elba Dixie Junior Boys All-Stars claim four wins at district tourney

The Elba Dixie Junior Boys All-Stars competed in the District 6 Dixie Junior Boys Baseball Tournament last week in Geneva and claimed four wins in six games to place third in the six-team event.

Ozark battled its way out of the losers bracket and claimed back-to-back wins over Eufula to win the tournament, followed in order by Eufula, Elba and Enterprise.

Following are highlights of last week's tournament action:



Elba Dixie Junior Boys coaches talk with their team between innings in last week's District Tournament action. The All-Stars won four games at the tournament before being eliminated late Saturday night.

Dixie Boys All-Stars post one win at district

The Elba Dixie Boys All-Stars traveled to Greenville last week to compete in the District 6 Dixie Boys Baseball Tournament and claimed one win in three tries to place fifth in the seven-team event.

The Elba All-Stars opened the tournament against the Enterprise All-Stars and dropped a 13-3 decision, but bounced back and ousted Samson 13-3 before falling again to Enterprise 11-1.

Enterprise won the tournament and earned the right to advance to the State Tournament in Clanton, while Greenville placed second.

Following are highlights of Elba's tournament action:

ENTERPRISE 13
ELBA 3

The Elba All-Stars opened the tournament one day late after an opening night rain-out and never got on track as they fell to Enterprise 13-3. Elba stranded five runners on base in the opening four innings, but Enterprise had much better luck finding its way to the plate as it jumped out to an early 1-0 lead in the opening inning and by the end of the fourth owned a big 7-0 advantage. Enterprise added four runs to its total in the top of the fifth to stretch its lead to 11-0. However, Elba's bats finally showed signs of life in the bottom of the inning and the All-Stars got on the scoreboard when Shane Adkinson blasted a three-run homer to cut the

ELBA 11

HARTFORD/WICKSBURG 8

The Elba All-Stars scored runs in every inning to outscore Hartford/Wicksburg 11-8, in pool play action. Elba trailed 2-0 when it took its turn in the batter's box in the bottom of the first inning, but quickly plated three runs to move on top 3-2. Joe Davis and Ethan Mount were both hit by pitches in opening inning action, while Justin Winters, Matt Brunson, Richard Cooks and Dylan

McCollough all delivered key base hits as Elba rallied to take the lead. Hartford/Wicksburg regained the lead at 4-3 in the top of the second, but Elba again answered the challenge and scored three runs in the bottom of the inning to take a 6-4 lead. A lead-off triple by David Stinson sparked the Elba rally, while the key hit in the inning was a two-run, two-out double by Ethan Mount. The score was tied at 6-6 the next time the All-Stars came to the plate, and once

again Elba staged a rally as Dylan McCollough drew a two-out walk, stole second and third and scored on a wild pitch to put Elba back in front 7-6 after three innings of non-stop action. Elba combined two walks, two errors and a two-out single by Justin Winters to plate three runs in the bottom of the fourth as the All-Stars moved ahead 10-6, while Elba's lead went to 11-6 in the fifth when Richard Cooks reached on an error and later scored on back-to-back singles by Joe Davis and Dylan McCollough.

Hartford/Wicksburg scored two runs late, but it did little but change the scoreboard as Elba held on for the 11-8 win. Justin Winters had 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Dylan McCollough added 2 hits and scored 1 run and Richard Cooks added 1 hit and scored 2 runs. Ethan Mount, Joe Davis and David Stinson all added 1 hit and scored 1 run, while Matt Brunson added 1 hit and A.J. Johnson scored 2 runs.

ELBA 8

LUVIERNE 6

The Elba All-Stars scored five runs in the opening inning to grab an early lead and then rallied late to hold off Luvierne 8-6, in pool play action. Luvierne needed only one hit to score three runs in the top of the first and moved ahead 3-0, but Elba bounced right back in the bottom of the frame and plated five runs to take a 5-3 lead. Elba also needed only one hit to score three runs in the top of the third, only to see Elba plate two runs in the bottom of the inning to move back on 7-6. A lead-off single by Justin Winters sparked the Elba rally, while Richard Cooks delivered a key two-out single that drove in Dylan McCollough with the go ahead run. Trey Knight had an rbi triple in the fourth inning as Elba upped its lead to 8-6, and the All-Stars held on late to post the impressive 8-6 win over the All-Stars from Luvierne. Richard Cooks had 2 hits, scored 1 run and knocked in 3 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Justin Winters added 1 hit and scored 2 runs. Trey Knight added 1 hit and home plate as it scored runs every inning to carry an 11-0 lead into the bottom of the fifth. Zach Stephens drew a lead off walk and later scored on an rbi single by D.J. Blevins as Elba got on the scoreboard in the bottom of the fifth. However, the All-Stars left the bases loaded and the game was stopped at the end of the inning with Elba on the wrong end of the 11-1 score.

D.J. Blevins had 1 hit and knocked in one run to lead Elba at the plate, while Zach Stephens scored the only Elba run.

ENTERPRISE 11
ELBA 1

The Elba All-Stars saw their tournament run come to an end in third round action as they were eliminated by the Enterprise All-Stars 11-1. Elba managed only one base runner over the first four innings, but Enterprise had no problem finding its way on base and on to home plate as it scored runs every inning to carry an 11-0 lead into the bottom of the fifth. Zach Stephens drew a lead off walk and later scored on an rbi single by D.J. Blevins as Elba got on the scoreboard in the bottom of the fifth. However, the All-Stars left the bases loaded and the game was stopped at the end of the inning with Elba on the wrong end of the 11-1 score.

D.J. Blevins had 1 hit and knocked in one run to lead Elba at the plate, while Zach Stephens scored the only Elba run.

ENTERPRISE 6
ELBA 3

The Elba All-Stars battled Enterprise on even terms through five innings, but saw Enterprise score three runs in its final at-bat and lost to their cross-county rivals 6-3 in the opening round of bracket play. Elba jumped out to an early 2-0 lead on rbi single by Matt Brunson and Richard Cooks, only to see Enterprise rally and score runs in the second and third innings to pull ahead 3-2 after three innings of play. Matt Brunson singled and later scored on an rbi single by David Stinson as Elba pulled even at 3-3 in the fourth, but Enterprise combined one hit with one walk and two errors to score three runs in the sixth to regain the lead and Elba saw a late rally fall short as it suffered the 6-3 loss. Matt Brunson had 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead Elba, while Richard Cooks, David Stinson and Trey Knight all added 1 hit and Justin Winters scored 1 run.

ELBA 10
DOTHAN AM. 4

The Elba All-Stars made big



SUPPORTING THE ALL-STARS. Parents made the long trip to Geneva six nights last week to support the Elba All-Stars in the Dixie Junior Boys Baseball Tournament. Above, one Mom yells support while another enjoys some refreshments on the hot night.

noise in loser's bracket action as they eliminated the Dothan Americans 10-4. Dothan managed only two hits over the opening three innings and failed to get on the scoreboard, but the Elba All-Stars had no such problem as they scored runs in all three innings and stunned Dothan by pulling out to a 7-0 advantage! Justin Winters had a lead-off single to spark Elba in the bottom of the first, while the key hit was a two-run single by Richard Cooks that drove in Winters and Dylan McCollough. Joe Davis singled and later scored on an error off the bat of Dylan McCollough as Elba continued its early-game fireworks in the second inning, while Matt Brunson ripped a two-run triple that pushed the Elba lead to 5-0. The All-Stars failed to get a hit in the third inning, but took advantage of two errors and a walk to plate two runs as their lead grew to 7-0 after only three innings of play. Dothan cut the lead to 7-2 in the fourth, but Elba answered right back in the fifth as Joe Davis and Justin Winters both had rbi singles to extend the All-Stars lead to 9-2. Dothan scored two runs in the sixth to pull within 9-4, but Elba never backed down and scored a late run behind the hitting of A.J. Johnson and Ethan Mount to post the 10-4 win. Joe Davis had 2 hits and scored 3 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Richard Cooks and Justin Winters both added 2 hits and scored 1 run and Matt Brunson added 2 hits and scored 1 run. A.J. Johnson and Ethan Mount both added 1 hit, while Dylan McCollough scored 2 runs.

EUFULA 11
ELBA 9

The Elba All-Stars saw a late rally fall short as they were eliminated by Eufula 11-9. Elba trailed 2-0 after the top of the first inning, but staged its first rally of the night in the bottom of the inning when Dylan McCollough reached on a bunt, moved to second on a walk to Matt Brunson and both runners scored when Richard Cooks blasted a two-run double off the fence in center field. Eufula appeared to take command midway through the game and opened up a 6-2 lead in the top of the third, only to see Elba rally again to cut the lead to 6-4. A two-out walk to Matt Brunson sparked the Elba rally, while Richard Cooks followed with a single and the All-Stars then walked their way around the bases thanks to three straight free passes. Eufula scored one run in the fourth and added two runs in the top of the sixth to grab a 9-4 advantage. However, the Elba All-Stars staged yet another rally and this time plated five runs to pull even at 9-9 after six innings of play! Steven Petry and A.J. Johnson both singled to open the inning to pump life into the Elba comeback hopes, while Dylan McCollough delivered a one-out rbi single. After David Stinson was hit by a pitch and Richard Cooks drew a walk to force in a run, Bradley Wilson cleared the bases with a double to left field to pull Elba even at 9-9. Eufula combined one walk with two Elba errors to regain the lead at 11-9 in the top of the seventh, and while Elba did threaten in the bottom of the inning on a walk to Steven Petry and a single by Justin Winters, the All-Stars didn't have another rally up their sleeves as they failed to score and took the loss 11-9. Richard Cooks had 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Dylan McCollough added 2 hits and scored 1 run. Bradley Wilson had 1 hit and knocked in 3 runs, while Joe Davis, Steven Petry and A.J. Johnson all added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Trey Knight added 1 hit and Matt Brunson scored 2 runs.

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